

Salute on Honest

Citizenry, Without

Whom America Dies

In looking over the state-wide results of the poll of business men on federal tax questions conducted this month by the Economic Council-State Chamber of Commerce I find my vote didn't count for much.

The majority opposed the increase in social security taxation from 1 1/2 to 2 per cent. But it was acceptable to me. This is an insurance program to provide old-age retirement funds — an actuarial problem in which the intrusion of personal opinion seems rather silly.

The majority also voted against the idea of substituting a general manufacturer's tax for the present hodge-podge of federal excise levies disguised as "luxury taxes" and what-have-you. But I supported the general manufacturer's tax in that poll. If we have to have a federal sales tax at all it's wiser to distribute it across the board than to let pressure groups single out certain industries and products for special taxation so that their own industries and products may escape the common burden.

Do you think I am so wrong about this? Well, then, I would advise you to inform yourself about what usually happens when the people of a republic let special interests write their tax laws instead of requiring the tax load to be distributed among all. The monument that human selfishness has erected all through the ages is the great pyramid of nations dead and gone pictured for us in the dusty pages of history.

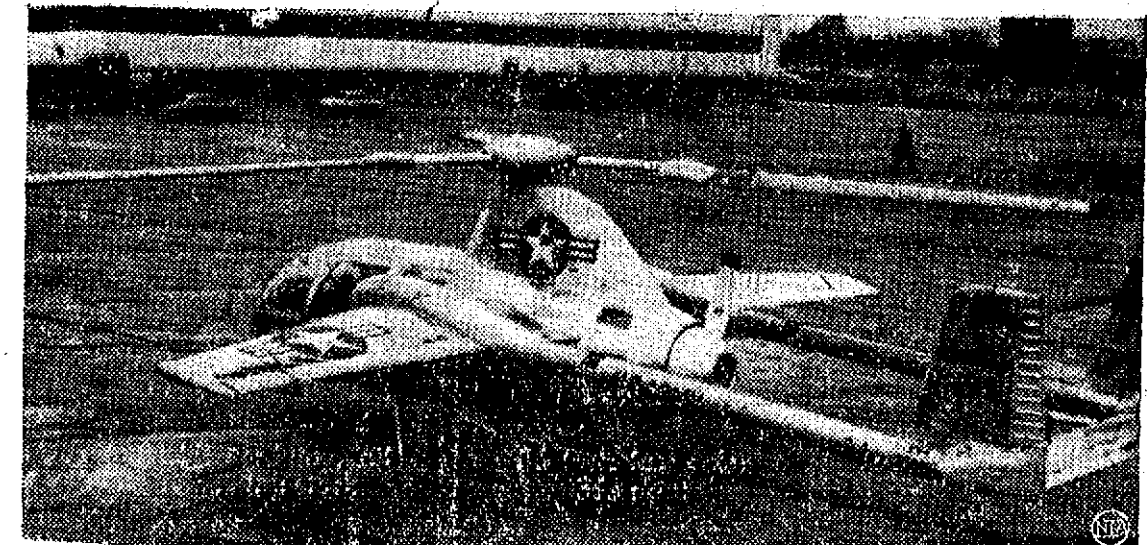
The current object lesson for Americans is that decadent land called France. Some time ago I mentioned Ernest O. Hauser's report, "The French Are in a Jam," in the January 2 issue of Saturday Evening Post, saying that it was required reading for every thoughtful American. For instance:

Mr. Hauser reported that the common people of France, labor in the cities and farmers in the country, are being steadily victimized by a vicious system of special-interest taxation and "protection." France today is the tragic example of a republic that has failed — and mainly because Frenchmen supported taxes from a strictly personal viewpoint instead of being fair to the nation as a whole. This paragraph is my condensation of the import of the whole article — but let me give you a direct quote from Mr. Hauser, and you may judge for yourself:

"In France the customer is always wrong. No supermarketa, no ordering by phone, no delivery service, no bargain basement, no bargains. No ads telling you what would be a good buy today. Installment buying is scarcely known. Where it exists, it will add 25 or 30 per cent to the cash price of your car, and nearly double the price of household appliances. There are few chain stores — a special tax keeps them from flourishing. Nine out of every ten shops are papa-and-mamma affairs, charging whatever price the traffic will bear. Between retailer and producer, especially in the food business, a flock of greedy middlemen siphon off the fat. An egg for which the farmer gets 13 francs costs 30 in Paris, and one Parisian, not long ago, paid 73 francs for a head of cauliflower in which the sly producer had inserted a slip of paper saying, 'I have been sold for 12 francs.'"

Each for himself, that is — and no one for France. And so eventually there will be no France.

Let us as Americans be forewarned. Let us find out what the nation's total tax bill has to be and then resolve to distribute it evenly and fairly — heading off the thousand special-interest groups who have brought France to her knees and who eventually destroy all governments of men.



CONVERTIPLANE — This is the XV-1 convertiplane, developed by McDonnell Aircraft Corp. at Lambert-St. Louis Field. Convertiplane is designed to take short take-off and landing distances. It is expected to be used by Army and Air Force, is expected to make its first flight within a few months after completion of ground and wind tunnel tests. — NEA Telephoto.



EXCHANGE THANKS — American and Indian officers exchange thanks for each others cooperation in Panmunjom as the Indian custodial forces prepared to sail for home, ending their stormy mission in Korea. Left to right: Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, 8th Army Commander; Gen. John E. Hull, U. S. Far East Commander; and Lt. Gen. K. S. Thimayya, Chairman of Neutral Nations Repatriation Commission. — NEA Telephoto.

'Driftbacks' Are Blamed for Job Trouble in South

By BILL CRIDER

MEMPHIS (AP) — There are uneasy signs that the South's economic stream is being complicated by an undercurrent of "driftback" job seekers.

Those unemployed are homing Southerners, most of them laborers and former farm workers who went North during the '40s, lured by high wages.

During the past few months a lot of them — in the wake of Northern industrial layoffs and other reasons — are coming back to home ground.

Any sizable driftback would add to pressure already felt in the cotton belt, coming on top of cotton acreage cutbacks, mechanization, 0,000 are reported on the ragged edge of hunger.

"I think the biggest trouble is and 'day cropping'."

Some farm leaders believe the homing workers are the underlying cause of the situation in upper east Arkansas and part of the Missouri Bootheel, where about

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Spa Healing Water Ordinary Rain Water But They Still Don't Know How It Is Heated

By CARL BELL

Fayetteville (AP) — Scientists have found that the thermal water making Hot Springs a leading resort is ordinary rainwater which has spent a relatively short time underground, picking up radio-active foreign particles.

But they still don't know how it is heated. Research on this problem is continuing, and the scientists have decided that one considered possibility — a natural atomic plant — is "fantastically improbable."

The determination of the water's source was made by the University of Arkansas Institute of Science and Technology and a University of Chicago chemist in a long range research project financed partly by the Atomic Energy Commission.

"There have been two theories on the source of the hot springs water," said Dr. Edwards, Edwards, chairman of the Arkansas Chemistry Department and director of the project. "One was that the water was 'juvenile water' that had never been to the surface of the earth."

"The other was that it was circulating water — that is, water which has evaporated, condensed and fallen as rain."

Dr. Edwards said it was definitely determined through an analysis by Dr. W. F. Libby of the University of Chicago that water from the hot springs is circulating.

He explained:

"It was learned that this water has the same amount of radio-active hydrogen as rainwater. Hydrogen in water can become radio-active only in the upper atmosphere. So this is circulating water."

The fact that the water is circulating means, of course, that the springs won't dry up as long as there is water on the earth.

"The fact that the radio-active hydrogen has about the same strength as that in fresh rainwater implies that the hot springs water spends a relatively short time underground," said Dr. Edwards.

"It also implies that the underground reservoir is not as large as it might be."

The chemist theorized that the thermal water reservoir is small, or than either Lake Hamilton or Lake Catherine at Hot Springs — yet, is large enough that a drought wouldn't cause the springs to run dry.

He added that Dr. Libby's analysis indicates the water is heated rapidly.

Researchers now would like to know the method and depth of the heating process. Dr. Edwards said

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Aid for Farm Workers Is Organized

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Jobless and destitute farm workers in Poinsett County continued to register today for food and clothing from the state government, while officials talked of expanding the emergency relief program in northeast Arkansas.

State Welfare Commission A.J. Moss said last night there is a possibility that state aid will be offered to needy farm laborers in Craighead and Crittenden counties.

The estimated number of people needing aid, mostly transient farm workers thrown out of work by a seasonal slump in farm employment, was cut sharply by Welfare Department officials yesterday.

The new total for all three counties was placed at 1,600, compared with previous estimates as high as 5,000.

State offices were set up at Lepanto and Marked Tree in Poinsett County yesterday to register applicants for relief. A total of about 400 persons registered on the first day, said County Judge Sid Smith.

The Welfare Department will screen applicants for those deserving aid, and the state will requisition food from them for surplus.

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Yerger PTA Plans History Program

Yerger Parent Teachers Association will meet Thursday, February 11, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium for a special program in observance of Negro History Week. The meeting is open to the public.

Ever Get Nervous Staying Around the House? Why Don't You Try Watching Goldfish?

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — Some husbands get restless in the home after dinner.

They stomp and storm around the place, finding fault with everything and making a general nuisance of themselves to their wives, because they don't have anything to do.

No, they don't want to go to a movie. No, they don't feel like looking at television. There isn't a decent murder being shown. No, they don't feel like going down in the basement and working with their new carpentry tools.

"I've made so many bookends I can't even give them away to the neighbors," they brood.

A husband on a restless evening can be as trying as an ailing child on a rainy day. What can a wife

do to keep her big bored luminox happy?

Some wives pacify their husband by buying him a goldfish to watch. Whenever he starts ranting and roaring after being fed his evening meal, the wife tells him soothingly, "now you're just working yourself into an uproar over nothing. There, there. Why don't you run over like a good little husband and watch your pretty goldfish for a while. That'll keep you quiet."

The trouble with goldfish watching as a pastime is that it either takes too much of a hold on a man — or else he quickly loses interest in it.

If goldfish watching gets a real grip on a husband, it can be worse than drinking or gambling. The relaxation becomes a vice. The vic

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Russian Proposal Aimed to Destroy Atlantic Alliance

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

BERLIN (AP) — Soviet Russia proposed today a non-aggression pact among all the nations of Europe including both Communist East Germany and the Bonn republic. It would annul the North Atlantic Alliance.

Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov laid his plan for "European security" before the Big Four conference. It was his most detailed effort to torpedo the West European Defense Community.

The proposed 50-year general security treaty would bind all the nations of Europe to peace. East and West Germany were specifically listed as eligible as individual powers until the nation eventually id unguir.

Molotov spelled out a treaty that would be open to all states of Europe regardless of "their social systems." He stated the non-aggression terms would be carried out according to these principles of the United Nations charter:

Any attack against one nation in Europe would be regarded as an attack against the entire treaty bloc. All parties would be bound to come to the rescue of the nation attacked, including the use of armed forces.

The significant anti-European army clause in the Russian plan read:

BY PRESTON GROVER

BERLIN (AP) — Western ministers, braced today to hear — and then reject — what V. M. Molotov calls a new plan for "European security." They anticipated a batch of Soviet ideas on Germany already turned down piecemeal in the first two weeks of the Big Four conference.

Even before the Russian foreign minister unveiled it at today's Big Four conference session, the West was sure the Molotov plan would send American and British soldiers home with their planes and guns and open the way — through a provisional government — for a fourth installation Communist commissars on to Rhine.

Certain Western delegation experts inferred from earlier remarks by the Soviet foreign minister that he might butler the scheme with a security proposal counting out the United States. In effect the theme would be: "Americans go home, leave it to Russia."

With a second secret session awaiting them tomorrow and the Austrian independence treaty due to be taken up Friday, Molotov asked at the close of yesterday's meeting for at least one day more to tell his weary fellow ministers what a brilliant future all Europe could have under Soviet leadership.

McCarthy Admits Being Wrong

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Feb. 10 (UP) — Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis) said last night he made a mistake in accusing former Undersecretary of War John J. McCloy of ordering that records of Communists in the army be destroyed.

McCarthy said he made the statement about McCloy, also former U. S. High Commissioner in Germany and the president of the National Bank, in sympathy for Robert Stevens, present secretary of the army.

"I was in error," McCarthy said of his remark about McCloy in a recent Canton, O. speech.

A sound truck blaring criticism of McCarthy caused a near riot last night outside the church where the senator spoke.

La. C. L. Rice said 10 patrol cars were rushed to the scene. Hundreds of persons milled around outside the church after McCarthy's speech. Rice said they were shouting angry remarks at Wilburn J. Reger, who was operating the sound truck. Rice said the loud speaker was turned off as police arrived and Jeger left at the request of police in "the interest of public safety."

McCarthy said Stevens had difficulties with subordinates in routing Communists out of the army. McCarthy also said, in a speech to the freedom club of the First Congregational Church that the late Harry Dexter White fostered the Korean war by helping to destroy Nationalist China.

Commonest Ivory

The ivory in communist use is walrus ivory, which is densest in structure and easiest to secure, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

American Technicians in Indochina, Ike Assures U.S. Won't Get Involved

Dishwasher Admits Killing Bodenheim

NEW YORK — Harold Weinberg, 25-year-old dishwasher, admitted today that he shot exotic writer Max Bodenheim, found slain last Sunday with his wife, police announced.

The announcement came a few minutes after Weinberg, a fugitive since the bodies were found in a squalid East Side room had been lusted into a police station.

The prisoner had not yet been questioned concerning the fatal slaying of Bodenheim's wife, 35-year-old Ruth Fagan, police said.

Police Lt. Edward J. Drumm Jr. told reporters:

"Weinberg admits shooting Bodenheim but he has not been questioned yet about the stabbing of the woman."

Weinberg was found hiding, police said in the basement of a tenement (211 East 21st St.), about a mile from the dingy scene of the killings. He was found by detectives Cy Goll and Harry Feigman.

Weinberg's capture broke with startling rapidity son after police received two new conflicting rumors that the scar-faced ex-convict had been seen in all River, Mass., and Savannah, Ga.

Bodenheim, purple-penned novelist and Bohemian poet of Greenwich Village in the 1920's, and his wife were found dead in a \$5-a-week room that had been rented in Weinberg's name three weeks ago.

County Dairymen to Consider Silage Plans

County dairymen will consider 1954 plans for silage, pasture and other feed crops Thursday night of this week at 7:30 in the Hempstead County courtroom stated County Agent Oliver L. Adams.

A very interesting sound film, "Pay Dirt," will be shown. This film shows the plant food requirements with methods of fertilizer applications. Special emphasis is given to soil testing, along with meeting the recommended requirements in the soil test. All dairymen and livestock producers should profit by attending the Thursday night meeting.

Lemley Says Fair Trade Law May Be Illegal

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — There's a chance, says a federal judge, that a 1937 Arkansas law which imposed fair trade restrictions on a huge list of commodities may be unconstitutional, in part.

Federal Judge Harry Lemley made that observation yesterday in a written opinion on a suit by Union Carbon and Carbide Co., against the White River Distributing Co., of Batesville.

The judge took no further action in the case, but retained it on his docket.

Nothing that the Arkansas Supreme Court would have final say on the constitutionality of the law, suggested that a test case against it be brought before the high tribunal.

Judge Lemley said he hesitated to make a direct ruling on the law since "the impact upon Arkansas business... might be a serious one."

An estimated 50 million dollars worth of merchandise, ranging from corn plaster to refrigerators is sold annually in Arkansas under the fair trade act, which fixes prices of the goods.

The section of the law questioned by Judge Lemley says it is "unfair competition" for any merchant regardless of whether, or not, he has signed a fair trade contract, to sell items at less than the fixed, legal price. The law further says that violators can be sued by any business that is damaged by sales at the lower figure.

Bob Shivers State Fair Mgr. Official

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — County Judge M. C. Reynolds of Camden was re-elected president of the Arkansas State Fair Managers Association yesterday as the group ended a two-day convention here.

Clyde E. Byrd of Little Rock, secretary-manager of the Arkansas Livestock Show, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

New officers are: State Rep. Jack Shelton of Monticello, Vice President; Virgil C. Kolb of Clarksville, Secretary; and Robert E. Blyskal of Fayetteville, Vice President.

The U.S. Weather Bureau at Little Rock said the forecast was for slightly cooler temperatures this afternoon, but still not enough to drive off the seasonal warmth.

Little Rock, 89, was well over the old Feb. 9 record of 70 sent in 1932.

All Around the Town

By The Star Staff

Ever stop to think just how many miles City Police average in two patrol cars every day? Down at the station this morning the subject came up and a spot-check with Officers Compton and Parsons produced the following figures:

From January 23 through February 9 two patrol cars traveled a total of 3984 miles on a fraction over 230 miles each day... all this in a 10-mile radius of Hope.

Most of the traveling is at night when officers keep up a continual patrol all over the city... It's also interesting to note that a new police car traveled 2,981 miles while the old one went only 983 miles... the boys hastily explained with a grin this was due to the old vehicle being in the shop for repairs much of the time... shucks, I'd rather drive a new car too hadn't you?

The Rettig family is very upset over Jo-Beth's pedigree Siamese cat, Pyewackett, who spent last night in Dr. Rogers' hospital nursing a broken leg and another is badly mangled.

Takes his safety for granted and refused to yield the right-of-way to the family car... well, the cat won... now Pye is in the cat and dog hospital while Jo-Beth and her Dad are almost ready for treatment.

Police had a call to the Patmos Shover Springs cutoff road last night... a resident reported some boys in a car were shooting out street lights... Officers found four lights shot out and would really like to get their hands on the vandals.

A note from Bodaway's Elizabeth Butler and LaDon Ward express thanks to folks for helping them win a talent contest over KCMC-TV recently... they compete in the finals over the same station at 9:30 Friday night... another winner on one of the talent shows was G. Gentry of Rossion.

Tickets to Washington's Birthday Dinner are now on sale at Jack's.

Says Moves Are Calculated to Avoid 'Hot' War

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower said today even though the government takes with respect to aid to Indochina, is carefully calculated to keep the United States from going involved in a hot war.

The President told a news conference he could not conceive of a greater tragedy than for America to get involved in an all-out war there or anywhere.

Eisenhower made the statement after Sen. Stennis (D-Miss.) voiced fear that the ending of American technicians to help French troops in their fight against Communists in Indochina might lead to U.S. involvement in the fighting.

Eisenhower said every step he authorizes in world affairs is taken as a means of preventing war. But everything that can be done is.

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Rebels Push Closer to Laos Capital

By MAX CLOS

SAIGON, Indochina (AP) — Five hundred Vietnamese rebels were reported to be 12 miles from Hanoi, Prang today, but the rebels said they were only lining up supplies for the bulk of the Communist forces threatening the royal capital of Laos.

The French maintained most of the 12,000 rebels who invaded the Indochinese kingdom of Laos last week still were 20 miles north of Luang Prabang, resting up in the valley around Nam Ha.

Military observers believed the invaders, after covering 120 miles through mountainous jungle, had stopped to recuperate and replenish their supplies. There was speculation any assault on Luang Prabang might not come before early next week.

Both in Saigon and Hanoi, the two major French command centers, the belief flourished that the Vietnamese might not even attack the hometown of Laos' aged King Sisavang Vong. The rebels last spring marched up almost to the royal doorstep, then withdrew without trying an assault.

Texasarkana's 84 High in State

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — February 9, who can tell the temperature got to a record high. Little Rock yesterday, but it still was two degrees below zero.

Texasarkana's high for the state. Other highs yesterday included El Dorado, 82; Pine Bluff, 81; Fort Smith, and Walnut Ridge, 78; Florissant, 75; and Fayetteville, 74.

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Sweetheart Banquet at Baptist Church

The annual Sweetheart banquet of the First Baptist Church will be held Thursday night, February 11, in Fellowship Hall at 7 o'clock.

Guest speaker for the occasion will be Rev. S. P. Redington, pastor of First Christian Church.

Young people of the church are asked to select their dates for the evening. John David Whitely, Billie Davis and Beulah Owen are some of the eligible.

Admission is 50 cents. Tickets are on sale at Jack's.







# SOCIETY

Phone 7-3431 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

## Calendar

Wednesday February, 10

The Guernsey PTA will meet Wednesday night, February 11, at 7:30 to discuss plans for the basketball team. This is a special meeting and all interested persons are asked to attend.

The Fulton PTA will meet Wednesday night, February 10, at 7:30 at the school to observe Founders' Day. Guest speaker will be Reverend Edmund Pendleton, pastor of the First Christian Church, of Hope.

The executive committee of the Junior-Senior High School PTA will meet at 3 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, February 10, in the Junior High School Auditorium.

Thursday, February 11  
The Adult Fellowship Class of the First Methodist Church will meet

at 7 o'clock Thursday night, February 11, at the church. This is to be a pot luck dinner meeting. Baby sitters will be provided.

The executive committee of Oglesby PTA will meet in the auditorium at 2 p. m. on Thursday February 11. A study course will be presented at 2:30.

The PTA Council will be hosts to the Founders' Day Silver Tea to be held in the High School Auditorium at 3 p. m. Thursday, February 11.

Saturday, February 13  
An informal Valentine dance will be held at the Hope Country Club Saturday night, February 13, from 9 till 12. Hosts will be Mr. and Mrs. Walter Verhalen and Mr. and Mrs. Duffie D. Booth.

Susan Davis will be hostess to the Music Makers, Junior Music Club at

her home on Saturday morning, February 13, at 10 o'clock.

Beacon Sunday School Class Meets in Home Of Mrs. Woodard Cox

On Tuesday night at 7:30, the Beacon Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Woodard Cox with Mrs. Lena Massingill as co-hostess. Mrs. Jean LaGrossa opened the meeting with prayer. After a short business session, Mrs. Hugh Jones gave the devotional. Cake and iced drinks were served to 9 members and 1 guest.

Mrs. Ramy Garland Hostess To Lula McSwain Society

The home of Mrs. Ramy Garland was attractively decorated in the Valentine theme with arrangements of primrose and snapdragons placed at vantage points in the den and living room, for the February meeting of the Lula McSwain Society of Christian Service on Monday afternoon, February 8, at 2 o'clock in Emmet.

The lace covered dining table held an unusual arrangement of white carnations, fern, red hearts and candles.

Mrs. Otis Townsend, president, presided over the business meeting. After the various reports were heard, Mrs. J. M. Johnson distributed the "Treasure Chests." The group voted to accept the invitation of the Hope W. S. C. S. to join them in a study course on February 14, 15, and 16, the course to be taught by Mrs. E. D. Galoway.

Following the business session, Mrs. Denman Wylie, program leader, presented a program using as subject "The Methodist Church Helping Rural Negroes." She was assisted by Mesdames Scott Ross, Carl Vickers, A. C. Jecy, and G. L. Ross.

During the social hour the hostess served salted nuts, heart-shaped cakes, and punch to 21 members and three visitors, Mrs. James R. Hill, Mrs. Lucille Halton and Reverend John Rushing. Mrs. Otis Townsend presided at the punch bowl.

Iris Garden Club Has Meeting Tuesday

The Iris Garden Club met Tuesday, February 9, at the home of the club's president, Mrs. A. A. Albritton on the Rossion Highway. The president called the meeting to order and Mrs. Owen Nix read the thought for the day and a Valentine poem.

During the business session 17 members answered roll call and the minutes of the last meeting were read. Mrs. Claud Sutton, Mrs. Daniel Beake and Mrs. R. V. Herndon, Jr. were welcomed as new members. The club voted to contribute to the State Hospital Garden Club at Benton, five dollars for flower seed. Plans were made to participate in the flower arrangement contest in connection with a spring Festival planned by local

merchants, the date to be announced later.

Mrs. Lahroy Spates, Junior Garden Club Counselor, reporting on the last two meetings of the Brookwood School Garden Club, stated that Mrs. Arch Moore was guest speaker at the January meeting and a film "Keeping Arkansas Green" was shown at the February meeting.

Mrs. B. L. Rettig was presented and announced plans and schedules for the Spring Flower Show, the date to be set later.

The program chairman, Mrs. A. A. Halbert, presented a most interesting discussion on the care and culture of camellias and azaleas. Mrs. Spates placed first with her line arrangement of camellias and pussy willow.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Floyd Crank and Mrs. J. W. Cunningham, served a salad plate and coffee.

Senior Ladies Auxiliary Meets Monday At Church

The Senior Ladies Auxiliary of the Unity Baptist Church met on Monday at 2 p. m. at the church. The meeting was opened with a song, "Who Will Follow Jesus," followed by prayer led by Mrs. Howard Collier.

Mrs. Jesse Sinclair read the minutes of the previous meeting and gave the treasurers report.

Mrs. T. D. Anderson taught the lesson, using the third chapter of first Corinthians.

Following a discussion of old and new business, Mrs. Anderson led the closing prayer.

Mrs. Oliver Adams Presents Program At CWF Meeting

Mrs. Oliver Adams presented the program, "No East Or West," when the Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church met for their regular meeting on Monday afternoon. She was assisted by Mrs. Ed Murphy, Mrs. O'Dell Luck, Mrs. B. L. Rettig and Mrs. MacRae Cox.

Mrs. Edmund Pendleton gave an inspiring devotional.

Mrs. Ernest Graham, president, conducted the business session during which time plans were made for the District Youth meeting to be held in Hope on February 27.

Ambassador Sunday School Class Meets

Mrs. Dwight Ridgill and Mrs. Dorsey Collins were co-hostesses at the February 9 meeting of the Ambassador Sunday School Class in the home of Mrs. Ridgill, 507 South Washington.

Mrs. E. O. Hart opened the meeting with prayer, followed with the devotional given by Mrs. Tom Duckett. Committees for the month of March were appointed. The group enjoyed a Bible quiz. Refreshments were served following the business meeting.

Hempstead County Classroom Teachers Association Has Panel Discussion "The Moral and Spiritual Values in the Public Schools" was the sub-

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tim loses interest in his wife, his children, and his job as he becomes more and more absorbed in watching his goldfish.

Don't we all know husbands who began goldfish watching innocently enough, then began demanding fish food to eat, just like their finny pet, and later began secretly coming down to the goldfish bowl in the dead of night, carrying a can

ject of a panel discussion presented by Brookwood teachers at a meeting of the Hempstead County Classroom Teachers Association in Brookwood Elementary School Auditorium Tuesday, February 9, at 7 p. m.

Members of the panel were Mrs. W. O. Boone, Mrs. E. W. Copeland, Mrs. Horace Fuller, Miss Kay Camp, Mrs. Donald Moore, Mrs. A. D. Caldwell, and Mrs. Sam Andrews. Mrs. E. R. Brown acted as moderator.

Mrs. Otis Breed presented the goals and services of the National Education Association following remarks made by Mrs. Frank Mason, president, who gave high evaluation to the national and state magazines, as well as to other magazines related to the teaching profession. Mrs. James McLarty led the group in singing, with Mrs. B. C. Hyatt as accompanist. Mrs. W. M. Sparks gave the invocation.

Miss Helga Loew, a visiting teacher from Germany was a special guest at the meeting. She told the group of teachers organizations in Germany.

During a business session Mrs. Mason appointed the following nominating committee: Mrs. T. V. Messer, Mrs. Elmer Brown, Mrs. Thomas Hays and Mrs. Joe Amour. April 2 was announced as the date for the AEA District meeting at Southern State College in Magnolia.

Following the program, refreshments carrying out the School motif were served in the School Cafeteria.

Other guests were J. H. Jones, superintendent of Hope Schools, and Elmer R. Brown, Hempstead County school supervisor.

die so they could watch it some

more The only sure way for a wife to break up a situation like this is to swallow the goldfish and blame it on the cat.

Other husbands, on the other hand, are simply made more nervous and exasperated that ever by watching a goldfish. They often get the idea the goldfish is beginning to watch them.

"What is that gilden baby whale of yours trying to find out about me?" they ask their wives. "Everywhere I go in the room it follows me with that cunning, fishy look. Is this a home we live in or an aquarium?"

My theory is that a wife had better forget all about goldfish watching, buy her husband a bowling ball, and get him to join the nearest bowling league.

Bowling has a number of advantages over goldfish watching as a way of calming down husbands. It is also cheaper and safer than either hunting or fishing. Few men ever drown on a bowling alley or are shot to death accidentally by someone who mistooke them for deer.

The best thing about bowling is that it gets a husband out of the house one night a week, and enables him to satisfy a mans normal desire to destroy things. They show him a slicing alley with ten bright wooden pins in perfect pattern at the end. They hand him his bowling ball and say, "see if you can smash 'em all down, big fell low."

For the rest of the evening he wears himself out crashing the ball into the pins, destroying the too perfect pattern sending them flying. He is as happy as a small boy who is given a fistful of rocks in a greenhouse and told to break as many windows as he wants to. He comes home tired, but cheerful and relaxed. It has been just the kind of evening he needed.

But what about the wife? What should she do while her husband is out renewing his youth in a bowling alley? After all, you can't expect her just to sit at home and do nothing, can you?

No, indeed. Many wives have turned to goldfish watching. They now watch the goldfish they once bought their husband before he found it was more fun to go bowling.

Some goldfish find it makes them

## 'Driftbacks' Are

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that a lot of people who went up North are coming back." Hilton Bracy, manager of the Missouri Cotton Producers Assn. said today.

"And a lot of people who usually move on somewhere else stuck around. There are lots of factors. Drought, maybe, but not much. It's hard to put a finger on it and I can't prove my theory. But that's my opinion."

There won't be any clear picture of the situation until about April, when planting is under way and seasonal layoffs in industry usually end.

For unemployed farm workers, another complicating factor is the

nervous to be watched by wives, but that is just too bad and nothing can be done about it. Once you buy a goldfish you can't just let it go to waste can you Somebody

cotton acreage cutback imposed by law because of the cotton surplus.

Talking Birds

Among the birds that can't be taught to talk are the piping crow of Australia, the mynah warbler, some species of jays, macaws, and even starlings.

## Happy Is The Day When Backache Goes Away

Nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headaches and dizziness may be due to strained muscles and disordered kidney function. Doctors say kidney function is very important to good health. When some everyday conditions, such as stress and strain, cause this important function to slow down, many folks suffer nagging backache—feel miserable. Minor kidney irritations due to cold or worn shoes may cause getting up nights or frequent urination. Don't neglect your kidneys! Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Used successfully by millions for over 50 years. It's amazing how many times Doan's give happy relief from lower back pain—help the 15 million of kidney tubes and filters flush out waste. Get Doan's Pills today!

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2 Arkansans  
Survive in  
Golden Gloves

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Two Ar-  
kansans fighters survived in the  
regional Golden Gloves amateur  
boxing tournament here last night,  
but two others lost on decisions.  
Joe Perry of Hot Springs out-  
pointed Walter Peters of Smoky  
Hill Air Force Base in a 135-pound  
Open Division clash, and heavy-  
weight Billy Ray Smith of Little  
Rock defeated Earl Harper of  
Lackland Air Force Base.  
Sunny Valenti, who entered the  
regional as an alternate after los-  
ing in the first round at Fort  
Smith, dropped a decision to Peo-  
le Varnall of Kansas City.  
Valenti, who lives at Fort Smith,

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Announcements

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nounce that the following are  
candidates for public office sub-  
ject to the action of the Demo-  
cratic primary elections.

For Treasurer  
HARRY HAWTHORNE  
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DWIGHT RIDGILL

For County Clerk  
ARNOLD J. MIDDLEBROOKS  
JOLLY (AMONETTE) BYERS  
ARTHUR ANDERSON

For Sheriff and Collector  
W. B. (Bill) RUGGLES  
JIMMY COOK  
IRA T. BROOKS

Alderman Ward 3  
B. L. RETTIG

Rice Can Tie  
SWC Lead by  
Licking Texas

DALLAS (AP) — Rice Institute's  
driving Owls can tie the South-  
west Conference basketball race  
Saturday night in Houston with a  
win over the leading university of  
Texas Longhorns.

The Owls insured a rip-snortin'  
Saturday night battle for first  
place when they trounced hapless  
Texas A&M 61-47 last night at Col-  
lege Station.

While the Owls were drawing  
nearer the conference pace set-  
ters, Baylor's Bears went into a  
tie for third place with Southern  
Methodist by knocking Texas Chris-  
tian out of contention with a 63-54  
triumph.

The night's work left Texas Chris-  
tian, Arkansas and Texas A&M  
among the also rans in the 1954  
basketball chase.

Texas is in front with a 5-won,  
1-loss record. Rice is a strong sec-  
ond with a 5-2 win-loss mark. SMU  
and Baylor have 4-3 season re-  
cords for third and fourth places.  
Arkansas and Texas Christian have  
3-4 marks and Texas A&M has  
lost 7-0-0.

Last night's games ended con-  
ference battling until Saturday when  
Rice plays Texas in the first-place  
battle at Houston. SMU gets A&M  
at College Station, and Arkansas  
and TCU meet in Fayetteville.

## Fights Last Night

By The Associated Press  
Los Angeles — Buddy Ewalt, 134,  
Los Angeles, outpointed Gilberto  
Muniz, 137, El Paso, 10.

Spokane — Harry "Kid" Mat-  
thews, 181, Seattle, knocked out  
Jack Nelson, 197, Salt Lake City,  
1.

Phoenix, Ariz. — Ellsworth  
"Spider" Webb, 155, Chicago, a-  
stopped Jimmy Martinez, 152, Glen  
dale, Ariz. 6.

replace Jimmy Lassiter, Lassiter  
lost too much weight to compete  
for the 126-pound crown, and will  
fight in the 118-pound class.

Bill Hanson of Springfield, Mo.,  
defeated Kenneth Brooks of Fay-  
etteville in another 135-pound Open  
Division bout.

All of the Arkansas boxers repre-  
sent the Fort Smith Boys Club.

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No Doubt Left  
Tech Is It

By The Associated Press

There's no doubt left that, bar-  
ring an outright collapse, Arkan-  
sas Tech will breeze to its sixth  
Conference basketball champion-  
ship.

Tech's Wonder Boys posted their  
10th straight triumph without a de-  
feet in loop play last night when  
they humbled Arkansas College  
64-77. That's no mean trick, since  
Arkansas College stands 10th in  
offense among the nation's small  
college teams. Tech, on the other  
hand, leads the nation in offense.

Only Arkansas State Teachers,  
which has lost once to Tech and  
faces another outing against the  
defending champions, stands a  
chance to dethrone the Wonder  
Boys.

Teachers kept alive their fading  
title hopes by smothering Southern  
State 92-76 last night.

In other games, The College of  
the Ozarks defeated Hendrix 70-77;  
and Arkansas A&M turned back  
Ouachita 80-76.

ARKANSAS  
SportTettesBy CARL BELL  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Arkansas Razorbacks may be  
on the verge of losing the nearest  
thing they have to a "cousin" in  
Southwest Conference football —  
and all because a native son is  
coming a little closer to home.

Of course, we're speaking of the  
Texas Aggies and their new head  
coach, Bear Bryant.

The combination of the tradition-  
al spirit of the Aggie student body  
and the big school's natural foot-  
ball potential with the recruiting  
and inspirational talents of the  
big, handsome man from Fordyce  
promises little good for other SWC  
teams.

Arkansas enjoys a slight edge of  
13 victories to 12 defeats and two  
ties in its grid rivalry with the  
Aggies. The best the Razorbacks  
have been able to do against any  
other league member is a 4-0 win-  
ning mark against TCU. 11 wins,  
17 losses and two ties. Texas, for  
instance has registered 29 tri-  
umphs to Arkansas' six.

If the Aggies do start getting  
tougher, it won't be the first time  
Bryant has gotten in the Razor-  
backs' hair. As a recruiter for  
Alabama and Vanderbilt, as well  
as Kentucky, in years past he has  
sprinkled some mighty fine football  
players out of this state.

It will be recalled that just over  
7 years ago Arkansas was trying  
to hire Bryant as its football  
coach; Bryant wanted the job  
but — after days and days of con-  
ferences and "no comment" — an-  
nounced he was unable to accept it.

He meant either he was unable  
to get a release from Kentucky  
or that concessions has been made  
to satisfy him there.

Bryant followed slightly differ-  
ent course of action in his two  
efforts to change scenery.

When he was dickering for the  
Arkansas job, he declined to say  
publicly that he had accepted — ap-  
parently desiring to wait until he  
could obtain a release at Kentucky.

This time, he announced accept-  
ance of the Aggie job and then  
turned in his resignation at Ken-  
tucky. And this time he took the  
precaution of conferring with his  
friend, the governor of Kentucky,  
before announcing either of his  
steps. That may well have been  
what led to his freedom.

Bryant's switch to A&M in the  
face of a nine-year contract at  
Kentucky; Bowden Wyatt's break-  
ing of a contract at Wyoming to  
come to Arkansas last year and  
practically every coaching change  
seem to show that longterm pacts  
bind the colleges but not their  
coaches.

It's possible that a coach could  
be held to the contract if a col-  
lege ever took the matter into the  
courts, but as far as we know  
this has never been done. After all,  
what school or, for that matter,  
what business would want a dis-  
gruntled employee? Few colleges  
try in any way to stand in the way  
of advancement.

High salaries and the ability to  
break a contract almost at will  
doesn't make the coach's bed one  
of roses, though. You know what  
happens to him if he happens to  
be a losing reason the year his  
contract expires. The only job se-  
curity he has is winning.

**Twelve Dogs in  
National Trials**

HEMNANDO, Miss. (AP) Twelve  
dogs, seeking quail and the United  
States Field Trial Association's all-  
age title, were put down in the  
third day's running today.

They were hard set to the per-  
formance of Hall's Stonerott  
Babe, a pointer bitch, who broke  
fast yesterday and was still going  
strong when ordered up.

One of the dogs making up the  
final brace is Spunky Creek Pa-  
rade, owned by R. L. Sanderson  
of Tulsa, Okla. Parade located two  
beats but flushed both.

Emerson Hangs  
Defeat on Highly  
Rated Bobcats

A last second desperate shot by

Haynes gave the Emerson Pir-  
ates a 60-58 win over the Hope Bob-  
cats at Emerson last night. This  
was the Cats' second defeat in 18  
starts. In the preliminary game the  
Lady Cats subdued the Emerson  
sextet 42-32.

With Griffin hitting for 7 point  
in the initial quarter, the Bobcats  
took a 13 to 11 lead. The second  
quarter was nip and tuck with the  
score being tied some six times,  
but the Cats managed to lead 27-  
23 at halftime.

Garnie Hatch paced the Cats  
in the third quarter bucketing 13  
points as Hope took its largest lead  
47-37. The last quarter Hope led  
Emerson by 8 points until the last  
3 minutes. Emerson tied the  
game at 58 all with less than a  
minute to play and then Haynes set  
shot with two seconds left gave  
the Pirates a victory.

Garnie Hatch with 28 points led  
all scorers. Dodson contributed 22  
points for the Pirates.

In the prelim game, the Lady  
Cats of Hope subdued the Emerson  
sextet 42-32. Hope led 15 to 5 at  
the end of one and increased it  
to 24-13 at halftime. The third quar-  
ter saw Emerson outscore Hope  
11 to 8. The final quarter saw the  
losers come within four points of  
Hope, but the Lady Cats managed  
to increase it to 10 points in the  
waning minutes. Scoring for Hope  
was Patty Rogers with 28 points  
and Berlie Allen with 11.

Hope G F T  
Hatch 12 4 28  
Griffin 5 7 17  
Halbert 3 1 7  
Mitchell 2 2 6  
Stanley 0 0 0  
Russell 0 0 0

Totals 22 14 58  
Emerson G F T  
Talley 0 2 14  
McEachern 1 3 5  
Dodson 9 4 22  
Pride 2 0 4  
Vaughan 2 0 11  
Haynes 2 0 4

Totals 25 10 60  
On the local court last night Hope  
Junior boys barely edged the  
Spring Hill lads 27 to 26 in a low  
scoring affair. Jester, tossed in 20  
points for Hope as the B boys also  
edged Spring Hill 38 to 34.

## Basketball

By United Press

EST  
Boston College 70; Boston U. 58  
Albany 73; Bethany 65  
Colby 67; Maine 53  
Gettysburg 52; Franklin & Mar-  
shall 74

Connecticut 71; Wagner 61  
Holy Cross 92; Springfield 68  
Niagara 74; Siena 50  
Providence 101; Rhode Island 31  
St. Francis (Pa.) 99; Westmin-  
ster (Pa.) 78

Villanova 61; Seton Hall 59  
Harvard 87; Kings (Pa.) 54  
Trinity 90; Bates 51  
Philadelphia Textile 60; National  
Agricultural College 67

Rider 78; Newark Engineers 63  
Lincoln 77; Elizabethtown (Pa.)  
76

Buffalo St. Techs 72; Alliance 64  
Montclair St. Techs. 120; Bloom-  
field College 102

SOUT H.  
Wake Forest 93; Clemson 57  
Duke 90; North Carolina St. 59  
George Washington 102; Furman  
97

Memphis St. 62; Mississippi 75  
Murray S. 62; Middle Tenn 77  
Shaw 71; Howard 66  
Bowling Green 75; Toledo 71  
Bradley 80; De Paul 69  
Hamilton 85; Concordia (Minn.)  
84

Wichita 89; Drake 60  
Gustavus Adolphus 109; Duluth  
Branch (Minn.) 79  
Lawrence Tech 77; Assumption  
65

Loras 100; Upper Iowa 74  
Loyola (Ill.) 70; Western Mich  
igan 56

No. 9 Dame 74; Michigan St. 71  
Yale 82; Indiana Central 66  
Rockhurst 76; Baker 51  
Dubuque 87; Penn. College 61  
Kansas Wesleyan 70; Bethel 65  
St. Olaf 78; Luther 69

SOUTHWEST  
Rice 61; Texas A&M 47  
Oklahoma 80; Missouri 78  
Baylor 63; Texas Christian 58  
Alcorn 78; Texas College 70  
Howard Payne 68; McMurray 66

WEST  
Denver 60; Wyoming 49  
Idaho St. 71; Colorado St. 54  
Eastern Montana 87; Montana  
Mines 88

Conza 65; Whitworth 64  
Seattle 85; Puget Sound 72

The Republic of Indonesia is  
about 8,000 miles long.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By GAYLE TALBOT

NEW YORK (AP) — A maiden  
visit to a first-class dog show such  
as that of the Westminster Kennel  
Club, which annually takes over  
Madison Square Garden for two  
days of blue-blooded yapping, can  
be both interesting and rewarding  
if one keeps his ears and eyes  
open and doesn't get into any ar-  
guments about dogs.

I, a first place, it is quite a  
sight just to see the floor of the  
Garden around the judging rings  
packed with persons from many  
states, with the overflow extending  
high into the balconies, and to  
realize that every last one of them  
is there because he thinks that dog  
is man's best friend. It is a more  
sober, tense gathering than one  
sees at the horse show.

Tightly clustered in most fests is  
a copy of the official program,  
which retails at \$1.50, without pic-  
tures. Most of those sitting or  
standing six deep around the rings  
have their coats open at the right  
pigeon d spend their time  
studying the small type, with the  
same rapt absorption: seen on a  
race track special out of Penn Sta-  
tion.

Except for the murmur of  
voices, it is a quiet gathering.  
The dogs, one assumes, have been  
taught to keep their yaps shut  
while they are being picked over  
by the judges. Now and then a  
brief platter of applause is heard  
when a blue ribbon is awarded.  
This comes entirely from the spec-  
tators, as the delighted dogs and  
their handlers only stare straight  
ahead, coldly.

If you've ever wondered, as we  
had, how they ever teach show  
dogs to stand with their hind legs  
stretched out behind them like they  
were looking for a fight, the an-  
swer is that they don't. At least,  
not the ones we saw. What hap-  
pens is that the handler squats  
beside his animal and keeps yank-  
ing his legs back every few min-  
utes as he sees the judge com-  
ing. Most of the lighted dogs  
did not appear to like this any bet-  
ter than the one in our house does.

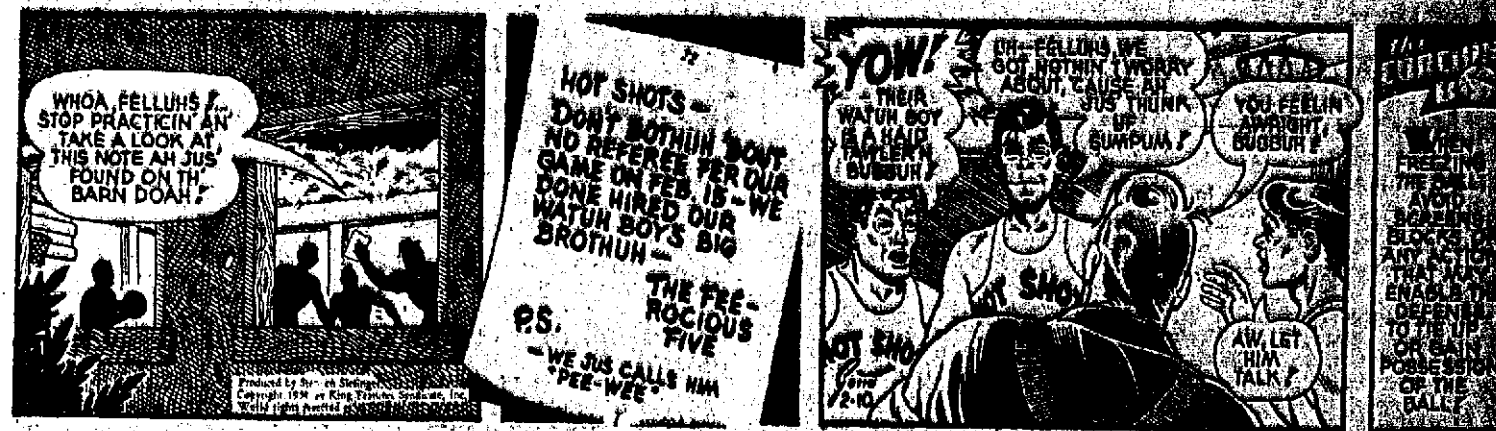
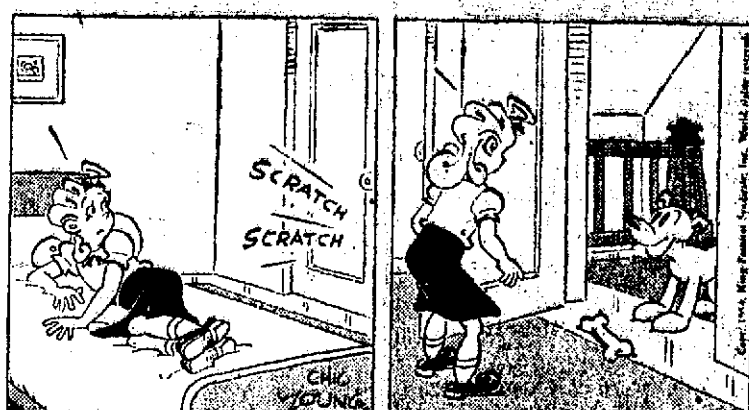
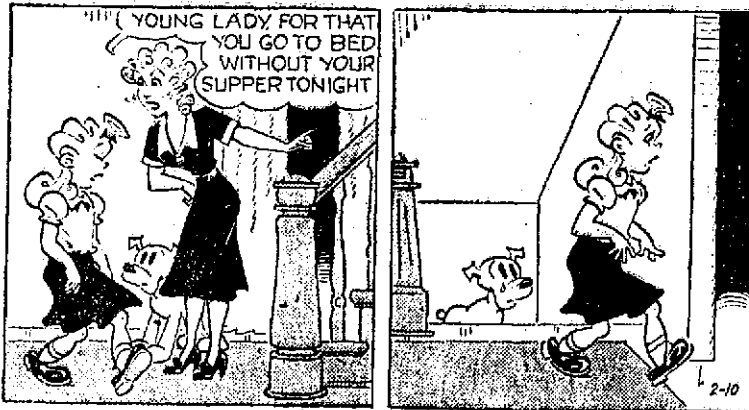


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By Chick Young

OZARK IKE

By Ray



Missing Words

**ACROSS**

- From — to
- de foie
- Better — than never
- Cakes and
- Bread spread
- Book of Bible
- , Dick and Harry
- Feeling
- Marine alga
- Fine cotton
- Legal matters
- go bragh
- Fish
- Neat
- A chicken in every
- Pass
- Gather grain together
- Condiment
- Russian warehouses
- Exist
- Communists
- Portable shelter
- Curved molding
- Pronoun
- Blue — suit
- Ramble
- Supervisors
- Metallic rock
- Festival
- Pastel
- Little white
- War god
- upon a time
- Headed

**DOWN**

- Balls and
- Century plant
- Set limits
- Postures
- Toward the sheltered side
- Legal
- Coddles of the dawn
- Classical language
- French
- Implement
- Hireling
- Land
- Cries
- "The Sun Also —"
- Ten (prefix)
- Wing-shaped
- Wigwam
- Girl's
- plaything
- Bake chamber
- The acid
- Rise up
- Consumed
- Humble
- Monsters
- Quickness
- Couch
- "For — Amber"
- Network
- Explorer, the Red
- Iroquoian
- Indian
- Hollow-stemmed
- Self-esteem

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



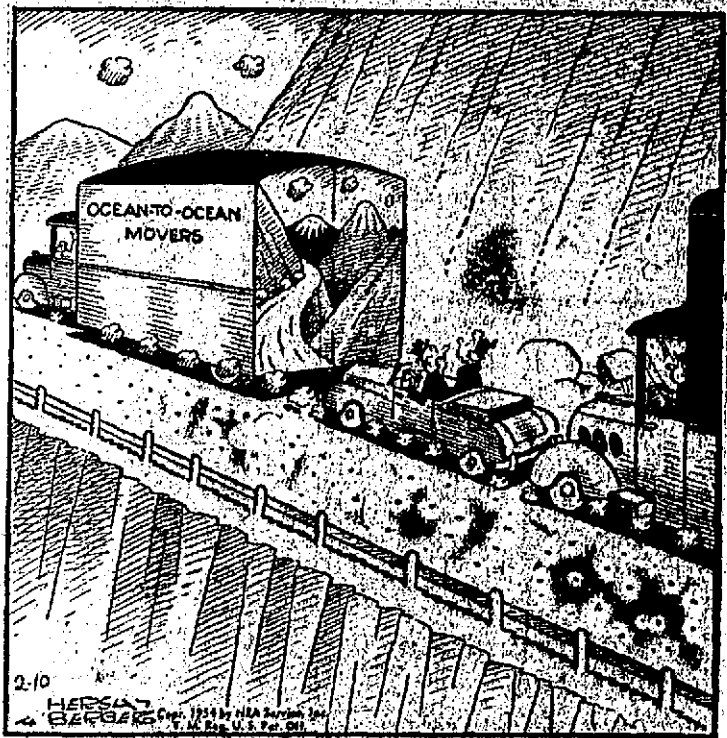
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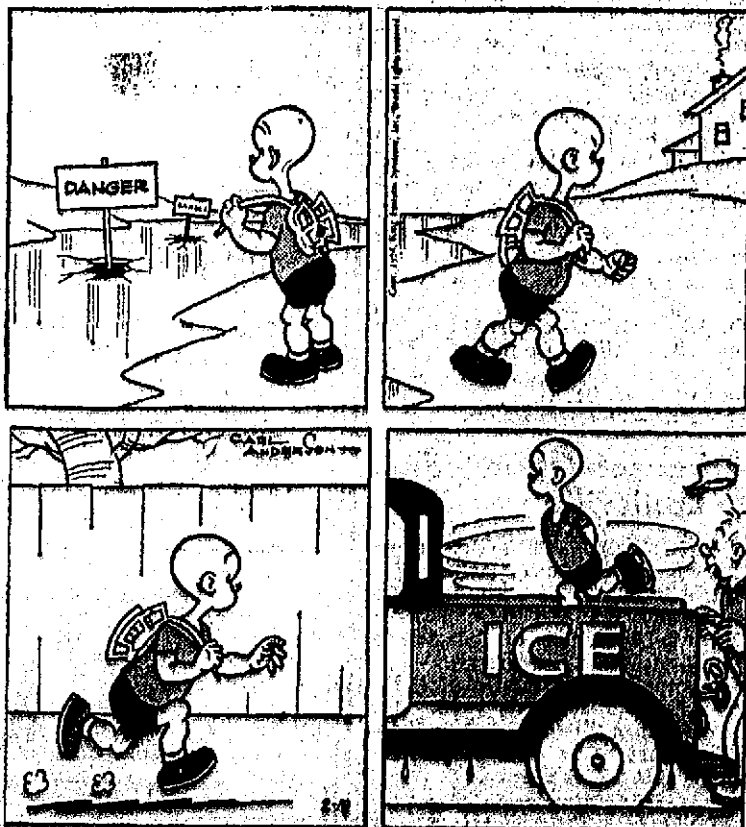
FUNNY BUSINESS

By Horstberger



HENRY

By Carl Anderson



VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph



WASH TUBS



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Edgar Morris



BUGS BUNNY



ALLEY OOP



CHRIS WELKIN, Pignoteer

By Russ Winters



THE STORY OF MARTHA WAYNE

By Wilson



"She pays sitters well, but the low-refrigerator wouldn't appeal."

SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Who's been chewing on my hockey stick?"



# Peter Lorre, the Ghoul, Is Back in Films

By BOB THOMAS  
HOLLYWOOD — The title of the new movie "The Ghoul Goes West" or "Creep in the Heart of the Night" concerns my favorite living actor, Peter Lorre, who is back in filmville after a considerable absence. A man with a large sense of humor, he takes a wry view of his own fortunes. Lorre left town four years ago for a number of reasons. For one thing, the film business was in a slump. Also, he had long wanted to see up his own film team to make movies but couldn't manage to do it here. But most of all he wanted to escape being a Peter Lorre type.

"I don't want to bore you with that story," the actor said kindly. "Surely you must be fed up with actors telling you how they want to escape playing a certain type. It is the most banal of interviews. But alas, it was true in my case. I couldn't play anything but a Peter Lorre character. I didn't care for that. If I wanted to remain one character, I could still be playing Mr. Moto. In 1936, I made nine of the Mr. Moto pictures in one year. The studio 20th Century-Fox would have loved to have me continue, but just couldn't see it."

Having started as a killer in "M," Peter returned to menace. Starting with "Maltese Falcon," he teamed in several pictures with the late Sunday Greenstreet. The target was generally Humphrey Bogart.

Lorre became a great favorite, particularly with night club, im-

# Survivors Tell of Cold, Snowy Wastes

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (U)—What is it like to be buried in space and marooned on these snowy wastes of Alaska?

Six airmen who were catapulted into the air last Friday when an Air Force C-47 "disintegrated" in flight told last night of their experience.

They were among 16 men on the plane. Searchers have found the bodies of three men. Seven were still missing and hoped they would be found alive very soon.

His European jaunt helped him become the pigeonhole. Hollywood had stuck him into it. He realized his ambition of setting up his own production team and made "The Lost One" in Germany. It has already won a number of international awards.

He made a couple of films in England and then teamed up with his old "Maltese Falcon" pals Bogart and John Huston, in "Beat the Devil," which was filmed in Italy.

"That one was a healthy departure from my Hollywood roles," he commented, "and so is my next picture. I'm going to do '20,000 Leagues Under the Sea' for Walt Disney, and the role is not as heavy at all."

He will probably go to Nassau for locations on that one and then may return here for another film with Bogart "Angels Cooking." That's Paramount's version of the Broadway hit "My Three Angels." After that he may return to Europe for another film with his own team. But he emphasized that Hollywood will remain his home base.

"These days and actor can't remain anywhere for any length of time," he remarked. "I intend to keep my home here. I've missed California. When you've been gone so long you realize this is the best place in the world to live."

# PRESCOTT NEWS

Wednesday, February 10  
Members of the First Methodist Church will have Family Night on Wednesday evening at the church.

The choir of the Presbyterian Church will practice on Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

The Deacons of the Presbyterian Church will meet Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock for the monthly meeting.

Thursday, February 11  
The Parent Teachers Association will observe Founders' Day on Thursday afternoon at the Park Elementary School.

The Annual Sweetheart Banquet sponsored by the First Baptist Church will be held on Thursday evening at 6:30 at the Hotel Lawson. Tickets are now on sale at \$1.00 each. Contact Mrs. Rusker W. Murry, Miss Betty Wilson or Miss Margaret Leese Phillips. All young people are invited to attend.

Letter Carriers Auxiliary Meets  
The monthly meeting of the Letter Carriers Auxiliary will be held on Thursday evening at the church.

ter Carriers Auxiliary was held on Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Loyce Anderson. The president, Mrs. Morris Loc, presided. A financial report was given by the treasurer, Mrs. Reece McDougald.

Several important subjects were discussed after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Phoebe Johnson Celebrates Birthday  
Mr. and Mrs. Archie Johnson entertained with a party for their daughter, Phoebe, on her fifth birthday anniversary on Friday afternoon at their home.

The decorations carried out the Valentine motif. The dining table overlaid with a lace cloth was centered with a styrofoam Valentine outlined with red hearts and centered with red and white flowers. Red and white glowing tapers flanked the arrangement.

After the gifts were opened, games were played. The guests were served the white birthday cake decorated in yellow flowers, ice cream, candy hearts and bubble gum. Favors were balls.

Those present included, Frank Anderson, Marita Jane Bemis, Joan Bratton, Janet Bright, Caroline Halton, James Wylie Duke, Mary Jane Erskine, Kenny Formby, Anna Gordon, Gail Graham, Larry Jameson, Walter Nelson, Margaret Dews, Sarah Margaret Purley, John Reynolds, Glenda Roe, Bob Rouse, Gary Stewart, Susan Ward, and Terry Chappelle.

Mrs. Johnson was assisted by Mrs. Dutchie Bright and Mrs. Bemis Chappelle.

Mrs. Clifton Yancey Hostess To W. M. U. Circle 4  
Mrs. Clifton Yancey was hostess to Circle 4 of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church at her home on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. J. D. Hines presided in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. A. R. Underwood, and conducted the business following the opening prayer voiced by Mrs. Yancey. The study on "In Evangelical Country" was in charge of Miss Lillie Butcher.

Mrs. Roy Loomis offered the closing prayer after which dainty refreshments in the Valentine motif were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Horace Estes of Gurdon was the Saturday guest of her mother, Mrs. S. H. McMahan.

Mrs. L. C. Dill of Hot Springs was the Friday guest of her mother, Mrs. Brad Hamilton.

Mrs. Irene Graham of Texarkana has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Graham and Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Whitaker of Lubbock, Texas are the house guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitaker Sr.

Mrs. R. P. Hamby visited relatives in Fulton Friday.

Mrs. John Honca spent Friday in Texarkana with relatives.

Mrs. Sam Grayson and Mrs. Bob Warnack of Magnolia were the Friday guests of Mrs. J. C. Stegar and Mrs. Fannie Newth. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Newth who will be their guest for ten days.

Friends of Brozlie Haynie will regret that he is confined to his home with a broken leg.

Friends of N. A. Peters will be glad to learn his condition is reported satisfactory following major surgery at St. Michael's Hospital, Texarkana on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pakis Jr., of Little Rock announce the arrival of a son, Glen Coleman, at St. Vincent's Infirmary on February 7. Mrs. Pakis is the former Mary Jane Coleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Coleman of Prescott.

Coffee Speculation to Be Probed  
By G. MILTON KELLY  
WASHINGTON (U)—Senators probed deeper today in an effort to find out whether speculation has had anything to do with the American consumer paying around a dollar a pound for coffee.

Officials of the New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange were called for a second day of questioning by members of a special Senate Banking subcommittee.

The exchange now polices its own trading operations, but the Senate may act later this week on a bill to bring coffee trading under federal supervision. Passage of the bill was blocked yesterday by a technical objection. However, Sen. Aiken (R-Vt.), chairman of the Senate Agriculture Committee, predicted easy approval when it is brought up again.

Arkansan Optioned to Louisville  
BOSTON (U)—Outfielder Gene Stephens of Gravette, Ark., who hit .241 in 78 games with the Boston Red Sox last year, was optioned to Louisville of the American Association yesterday.

He was the first man cut off the Red Sox roster this year. The 21-year old outfielder finished the season last year with Louisville, hitting .214 in 30 games.

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